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ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT TOWN

Hilari Quinque dance tonight at the Town hall.

Henry C. Hitchcock of Temple Place is seriously ill.

Walter H. Thompson has entered the employ of the Edison Electric Company.

Mrs. Susan B. Richards and her daughters have returned from an extended trip abroad.

The local public schools are closed today to enable the teachers to attend the convention in Peabody.

The Morton street football team defeated the Christ church choir team on the playstead Thursday afternoon.

Hardy & Cole have secured the contract to build the new state hospital for consumptives at North Reading.

Miss Mary Foster, of High street, will leave next week for Santa Barbara, California, where she will spend the winter.

E. A. Dillon, Jr. of Lawrence, a former prominent Andover athlete, has been elected president of the senior class at Princeton.

Miss Elizabeth Hoar has resigned her position as supervisor of music in the local schools and has accepted a position in New York City.

The number of books issued at the Memorial Hall Library during October was 2841. In September, 2437 books were borrowed for home use.

Miss Marion Crawford will resume her classes in dancing at the November Club House, on November 14, instead of on November 7 as previously stated.

All flower lovers will be glad to know that the annual chrysanthemum exhibit is now open to the public at the greenhouses of J. H. Playdon in Frye Village.

Dr. J. Lyman Belknap resigned his position as surgeon in the navy to accept a position as an assistant at the Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston.

Miss Alice Lowe, of Lynn, sang a solo at the Free church last Sunday morning. Miss Lowe is the youngest daughter of James Lowe, a former resident of Andover.

Another production of "Won Back" will be given in the Town hall on Friday, Nov. 13. There will be several specialties between the acts and dancing will follow the play.

The Ladies Foreign Missionary Society of the Seminary church will hold its regular meeting at the residence of Mrs. M. W. Stackpole on Tuesday, Nov. 10, at 3 o'clock.

The annual ball of the Andover Steam Fire Engine company will be held in the town hall Wednesday evening, Nov. 25. The committee has arranged for a series of moving pictures to be included in the entertainment.

In the recent issue of "Science," a weekly journal devoted to the advancement of science, is an essay entitled, "Democracy and Scholarship," by Dr. David Kinley of the University of Illinois. Dr. Kinley is a former resident of Andover.

Under the auspices of Clan McDonald No. 14, A. O. S. C. a concert and dance will be given in Pilgrim hall, Thursday evening, November 12. The price of tickets is 25 cents and this also includes refreshments of cake and ice cream.

The big elm tree which is in line with the walk now being built in front of the town house will not be removed, but the walk will be built around it. Some time Tuesday night it was severely hacked by vandals, but the damage will not be lasting.

On next Tuesday evening in the Stone chapel, Mr. George N. Cross will deliver his illustrated lecture "Splendors of the Alps." The lecture will begin at eight o'clock and the admission is 35 cents for single admission or one dollar for the course of three lectures.

George Harris, Jr., gave a song recital with Miss Lena Little at the November Club last Monday afternoon. Mr. Harris is the son of President Harris of Amherst College, a former professor at the Andover Seminary. He has a splendid tenor voice and is now studying with De Reske.

The case of George W. Hinman, of Phillips Academy, against George Presby, of Malden, has been settled out of court. Mr. Hinman sued for personal damages received from being struck by an automobile owned by Mr. Presby. The accident occurred October 8, 1906, on the Reading road. Mr. Hinman received \$4000 damages. The county commissioners are in session today.

Mr. A. J. Leach of the American Humane Education Society, last week addressed the public schools of Andover, organizing the several classes into Bands of Mercy. The object being to teach kindness to every living creature, respect for law and human rights, culminating in good citizenship. Many teachers of the commonwealth welcome this movement as the best means to train the heart and teach thoughtfulness, and sympathy for suffering in all forms, the watchword of the society being kindness, justice and mercy to every living creature.

Town meeting next Monday evening at 7:45.

Miss Lulu Abbott of Boston is in town visiting relatives.

Thanksgiving November 26; just three weeks from yesterday.

John Pray of North Conway, N. H., has been in town for a few days.

Inspection night next Thursday at the Women's Relief Corps. A large attendance is requested.

Visit the art room at the Free church fair and see the collection of beautiful pictures, post cards, etc.

Election returns were received by the members of the Andover club in their rooms last Tuesday evening and refreshments were served.

The following is the Andover lineup for the Methuen-Andover football game: Neil, g; Nicoll, lb; Jackson, rb; A. Tart, lb; Matthews, rh; Anderson, lof; Gough, lf; Black, cf; Cairns, rif; J. Tart, rot. The game will be played at Methuen tomorrow.

Representative-elect Edgar Holt of Methuen, is well known in this town. He is the nephew of Brooks Holt of Scotland District, a graduate of Phillips Academy, and was a prominent athlete when in school.

Tom Carpenter, brought to the Townsman office this week two dandelion blossoms. These blossoms have been picked by several persons lately and are another evidence of the very mild fall weather.

A party of members of the Andover Natural History society, under the guidance of the president of the society, William G. Goldsmith, spent last Saturday afternoon in Carmel woods examining and identifying the varieties of trees and shrubs found there.

The marriage of Dr. John C. O'Connor of Manchester, N. H., and Miss Helen Raymond of Salem is announced for November 17. Dr. O'Connor is well known in this town as the successful coach of the '05 and '06 Phillips Andover football teams.

The Holy Name Society of St. Augustine's church took part in the monster parade in observance of the centenary of the founding of the diocese of Boston. The local society was accompanied by the Andover Brass Band and marched in division 13.

The Woman's Missionary Society of Christ Church Parish will pack and send their Christmas barrel to a colored mission in the South on Thursday, the twelfth. Gifts are to be provided for 85 children. Please send all gifts for this Christmas barrel to the Christ Church Parish house on Thursday next before half after two.

Two more automobile owners appeared before Judge Stone last night to answer to the charge of speeding. Wallace B. Phinney of Lynn who was charged with running too fast on Main street on October 17 was fined 15 dollars and he appealed. W. H. Church of Melrose paid a fine of five dollars for speeding on Main street, October 23. Both defendants were represented by W. A. Thibodeau of Wakefield.

Advertised Letters

Unclaimed letters, October 26, 1908
Huse, Mrs. Caroline E. McEnroe, John Chamberlain, Mrs. M. L. Howard, C. W. McGuiness, Francis Gaskill, Mrs. F. A. P. E. B.

Unclaimed letters, November 2, 1908
Colwell, Charles Murphy, Miss Nellie (a) Collins, W. H. Mahut, Josef Corkhill, Robert Mato, Annie Crane, Nettie Russell, Mrs. Mary C. Higgins, Michael Touniga, Eastman, Prof. and Mrs. C. C. Rose, Mrs. George A. (a) Tompkins, W. Flint, Mrs. Della

ARTHUR BLISS, P.M.

Card of Thanks

Representative-elect Andrew McTernan thanks all his friends for their support Tuesday at the polls. His endeavor in the Legislature will be to give a conscientious and honest service to the State and his constituency.

Train Hits Engine

The local passenger train which leaves Andover at 6:30 p.m., collided last night with a locomotive at Lowell Junction and several of the passengers were injured. The injuries were in most cases slight, the most serious being those of J. W. Wheatley of Ballardvale, who was taken to the Lowell hospital suffering from a severe scalp wound.

This train which is run especially to accommodate students of the Lowell Textile School left Andover as usual at 6:30 and when going around the curve at Lowell Junction, which runs from the main track to the Lowell division, collided with an engine which was backing off the turn-table. Both engines were piled up, but none of the three passenger cars were derailed. The track was blocked for several hours.

E. J. Nichols, fireman of the Lowell train, had a unique escape. He jumped from the engine cab and landed on a barbed wire fence, escaping with a few bad scratches. A number of Andover boys, who are students at the Textile school, were on the train but fortunately escaped without injury.

Fire at Haggetts Pond

An alarm from box 130 called the fire department to West Andover woods surrounding the summer home of B. Frank Smith on the shore of Haggetts pond. The fire destroyed a small log cabin, built 26 years ago by Mr. Smith and prized very highly. Sparks from an engine on the Boston & Maine road started the fire which burned for over an hour before being discovered.

The fire department responded in short time making the trip of about three miles in 20 minutes. Four horses were used on the engine.

A large carriage shed and two dog houses escaped the fire in a very remarkable manner, the fire burning all around them. The log cabin was the only building that was not insured.

Former Resident's Brave Act

The following from the Boston Post of last Sunday will interest many Andover people who remember Mrs. Wears as a successful dancing teacher:

"The friends of Mrs. Charlotte Hutchinson Wears of Manchester, N. H., are pressing their claims for her recognition by the trustees of the Carnegie Hero Fund, as the result of her coolness in saving the lives of 300 school children in attendance at a dancing party a few days ago.

A fire was discovered in the building by Mrs. Wears and without displaying any of the excitement under which she was laboring, she urged the children to leave the building quietly. That she acted in the nick of time is shown by the fact that no sooner had the last of the party reached a point of safety when there was a terrific explosion, which wrecked the dance hall and started a fire which gutted the building.

Mrs. Wears is the daughter of C. H. Hutchinson, a retired business man of Manchester."

"A Little Savage" is the title of the annual play to be given by the Punchard school next Friday night in Punchard hall at 7:45. The play will be followed by a dance.

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Sawyer, Mrs. James C.
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Ballard, Miss Mary
Bartlett, N. E.
Graves, Henry S.
Smart, Mrs. James N.
Smith, John E.
Taylor, Prof. John Phelps
Taylor, Mrs. John Phelps
Williams, Prof. E. H. Jr.
Williams, Mrs. E. H. Jr.

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Abbott, Miss C. S.
Abbott, George T.
Abbott, Miss Ellen J.
Abbott, Dr. Charles E.
Abbott, Mrs. Charles E.
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Arnold, Mrs. William R.
Alden, John
Alden, Mrs. John
Allen, Bernard M.
Allen, Mrs. Bernard M.
Allen, Mrs. Walter B.
Andrews, Fred A.
Andrews, Mrs. Fred A. (in memorial)
Angus, Mrs. Annie Smart
Baldwin, Miss Clara J.
Babbitt, Mrs. Mary F.
Bell, John W.
Bell, Mrs. John W.
Bell, Howard W.
Bell, Alice M.
Berry, J. Warren
Herry, Mrs. J. Warren
Brown, Benjamin
Brown, Benjamin
Brown, Miss Edna
Brewster, John L.
Brewster, John L.
Brewster, Edwin T.
Brewster, Mrs. Edwin T.
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Bodwell, Miss Myra
Boutwell, Fred S.
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Buck, Mrs. Walter
Cann, Judge G. W.
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Chase, H. F.
Chase, Mrs. H. F.
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Campion, Mrs. J. H.
Currier, Miss E. E.
Carlton, Frank T.
Carlton, Master Edward
Carlton, Master F. Tyler
Carter, Miss Emily
Carter, Mrs. R. A.
Carpenter, Rev. C. C.
Carpenter, Mrs. C. C.
Carpenter, Miss Jane B.
Chamberlain, Mrs. Anna G.
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Clarke, Miss Lucia
Day, Dr. Charles O.
Davis, Miss Abbie
Dove, George W. W.
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Eaton, George T.
Eaton, Mrs. George T.
Eaton, Miss Louisa
Eaton, Miss Helen
Eaton, Thaxter
Fairweather, J. D.
Flagg, Burton S.
Flint, John H.
Foster, Philip
Foster, F. H.
Foster, Mrs. F. H.
Fisher, Rev. W. F.
Farmer, Miss Nellie H.
Giddings, Miss H. E.
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Goldsmith, Mrs. William G.
Graves, Prof. William B.
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Hulme, Mrs. A. E.
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Jenkins, Miss Kate P.
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Kimball, Miss Florence
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Manning, Miss Harriet
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Messer, Mrs. Frank H.
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Moorehead, Prof. W. K.
Millet, George D.
McCurdy, Prof. M. S.
McCurdy, Mrs. M. S.
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Mills, Mrs. R. B.
Mills, Miss Mary B.
Mills, Frank
MacFayden, Mrs. Edith Tye
Odlin, William

AMONG THE CHURCHES, CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

CHURCH CALENDAR FOR NEXT WEEK

South Church Congregational Central St.
Organized 1711. Pastor R. Shipman, Pastor

SUNDAY, NOV. 8

10.30 a.m. Morning worship. Recognition of the sixtieth anniversary of the Sunday-school. Address by Rev. George H. Guttererson and the pastor. Also, Sunday kindergarten.

Sunday School to follow with thirty anniversary exercises, led by former superintendents.
6.30 p.m. Senior Y.P.S.C.E.
7.30 p.m. Sunday-school celebration. Addresses by neighboring superintendents and Rev. John L. Keady.

Tuesday, 7.45 p.m. Courteous circle.
Wednesday, 7.45 p.m. Mid-week meeting.
Thursday, 7.30 p.m. Women's Union Sewing meeting.

7.00, K.O.
7.45, Choir practice.

Free Church, Congregational, Elm Street.
Organized 1848. Rev. Frederic A. Wilson, Pastor.

West Parish Congregational Church, Organized 1836.
Rev. Dean A. Walker, Pastor

SUNDAY, NOV. 8

10.30 a.m. Morning Service preaching by the pastor.
12.00 m. Sunday-school.
7.00 p.m. Y.P.S.C.E.
7.30 p.m. Stereoscopic lecture in Osgood schoolhouse.

Wednesday, 7.45 p.m. Prayer meeting at E. F. Abbott's.

Saturday, 7.30, West Centre Club.
7.30 Juvenile Missionary Society.

Free Church, Congregational, Elm Street.
Organized 1848. Rev. Frederic A. Wilson, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, NOV. 8

10.30 a.m. Worship with sermon by the pastor.
Sunday-school to follow the morning service.
11.30 a.m. Meeting of the Y.P.S.C.E.
7.30 p.m. Union service at the South Church.

7.30 p.m. Tuesday. Young Ladies' Social Circle.
7.45 p.m. Wednesday. Mid-week prayer and conference meeting.

1.00 Thursday. Meeting of Foreign Department Ladies' Benevolent Society at the home of Mrs. J. W. Richardson, Whittier St.

Baptist Church, cor. of Essex and Central Sts., Organized 1838. Rev. W. E. Lombard, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, NOV. 8

10.30 a.m. Preaching by the pastor.
11.15 a.m. Sunday-school.
6.30 p.m. Y.P.S.C.E.
7.15 p.m. Evening service.

Wednesday, 7.30 p.m. Evening prayer meeting.

Christ Church, Episcopal, Central Street.
Organized 1838. Rev. Frederic Palmer, Rector.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, NOV. 8

10.30 a.m. Morning prayer and sermon. Preaching by Rev. R. LeBlanc Lynch, Assistant Rector.

12.00 m. Sunday-school.
7.30 p.m. Evening prayer and address.
G. F. S. Meets Monday evening at 7.30.
K. O. K. A. meets Wednesday evening at 7.00.

The Women's Guild meets Thursday at 7.30 to pack the box to be sent to the colored people.

Seminary Church, "On the Hill," Organized 1865.

SUNDAY, NOV. 8

Services under the auspices of Phillips Academy at 10.30 and 5.15. Preacher, The Rev. John Howard Melish, Rector of the Church of the Holy Trinity, Brooklyn.

11.30 a.m. Sunday School in Bartlett Chapel (Pearson Hall).
8.00 p.m. Wednesday evening Prayer Meeting in Bartlett Chapel.

At the vesper service the gallery is open to the public.

Trow, Mrs. William A.
Valpey, Mrs. Ezra
Wilson, Rev. F. A.
Wilson, Mrs. F. A.
Williams, Miss Olive B.
Williams, Miss Cornelia
Williams, Miss Elizabeth
Williams, Norman
Williams, E. H. 3rd
Williams, Amory L.
Williams, Wentworth
Williams, Laurens
Walker, Dr. W. Dacre
Wilbur, Mrs. H. R.
Wilbur, Arthur
Wilbur, Miss Susan M.
Wilbur, Miss Caroline C.

St. Augustine's Church, Roman Catholic, Essex St. Organized 1850. Rev. Fr. Hordaan, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, NOV. 8

8.30 a.m. Mass and instruction, Sunday-school following.
10.30 a.m. High Mass and sermon.
3.30 p.m. Vespers.

First Sunday of each month, Communion day for Sacred Heart Society.
Second Sunday of each month, Communion day for the children.

Third Sunday of each month, Communion and Rosary and Arch Confraternity.

Copper Coating Steel

Electrical transmission of energy by the overhead system, whether for street railway, telephone, electric lighting or power purposes, requires the use of wire or cable of high conductivity in order to avoid heavy losses of power that would result from an attempt to overcome the resistance to the passage of the current in metal that are poor conductors. Copper is one of the best known conductors and possesses non-corrosive qualities that are valuable, but copper is expensive and lacks tensile strength. For economic reasons tensile strength is a most desirable quality in a metal used for line work, while low cost is, of course, of prime importance. Steel possesses both strength and cheapness, but is low in conductivity and rusts quickly when exposed to the elements.

Foreseeing the value of a combination of the desirable qualities of these two metals, inventors and metallurgists have made various attempts to perfect a process of coating steel wire with copper.

Partial failures convinced a French metallurgist, J. Ferreol Monnot, that the two metals must be welded together homogeneously, and he set to work on the problem. He finally achieved entirely satisfactory results by first cleaning a steel billet six inches in diameter and thirty-six inches long and then welding onto this at high temperature a thick coating of soft copper. The copper can be of any desired thickness to suit it to various commercial purposes. After receiving its copper coat, the billet is reheated and put through ordinary rolls such as are used in steel mills for rolling down steel or iron rods from large billets. The resultant wire, three-eighths of an inch in diameter, is then sent to the drawing mills and drawn into wire of any size down to No. 40 B. & S. gauge if desired. The copper and steel draw down equally and in the final product the copper coating is relatively the same as in the original billet, so that it is easy to determine before hand the precise proportion that the copper will bear to the steel and the actual thickness of the coat. The thickness is the same throughout the length of the wire and is also perfectly intact. From New Process for Copper Coating Steel, in October Technical World Magazine.

How to Gain Weight

A characteristic day's menu appropriate for one who is trying to gain weight is as follows, says Harper's Bazaar:

At rising—One glass of hot milk.
Breakfast at 8 o'clock—Sweet fruit cereal, with cream and sugar; two soft boiled eggs; bread, with thick layer of butter, jam or honey; cup of chocolate or glass of milk.

At 11—Milk; bread and butter.
Luncheon at 1 o'clock—Creamed fish; baked potatoes, with butter; peas; pudding made of sage and eggs; glass of milk.

At 4 o'clock—Glass of milk, with egg beaten up in it; cake.

Dinner at 7 o'clock—Cream soup; fat rare beefsteak; mashed potatoes; beans; creamed asparagus; beet salad; French dressing; rice pudding.

Bedtime—Glass of hot milk; raw egg.

One who wishes to get fat should drink water or milk or both with meals. Drinking water is said to make one eat more.

FEEBLE OLD LADY

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Mrs. Michael Bloom of Lewistown, Pa., who is 80 years of age, says: "For a long time I have been so feeble that I have had to be wheeled around in an invalid's chair. I had no strength and took cold at the slightest provocation, which invariably settled on my lungs, and a cough would result. My son learned of the cod liver preparation called Vinol, and procured a bottle for me. It built up my strength rapidly, and after taking three bottles I am able to do most of my work, and I can walk a quarter of a mile easily. Every aged or weak person who requires strength should try Vinol. I am delighted with what it has done for me."

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Andover-Exeter Game

Tomorrow afternoon on Brothers field the Phillips Andover and Phillips Exeter football teams meet for their annual game, the leading interscholastic event in New England sports. Great interest is always taken in this game and tomorrow a larger crowd than usual is expected to witness the contest, for the demand for tickets has been so great that two new stands have been erected. These stands are on the eastern end of the Exeter side of the field and will have a seating capacity of 124 seats each.

A comparison of the two teams would appear to give Andover a slight preference. To judge from the scores of the games where both Andover and Exeter have met the same teams is to pick the blue as the probable winner.

Exeter was defeated by the Princeton Freshmen 12 to 10 and Andover won from the same team 6 to 0. The Harvard 1912 team defeated Exeter 6 to 0 and played a no score game with the Andover team, so that comparative scores seem to favor Andover. However, early scores count for little and the game tomorrow will be hard, fast, and interesting as these games always are. Both teams are in good shape, and both have had capable coaching and good fortune in having few injured men.

The officials will be: Joseph B. Pendleton of Bowdoin, referee; E. K. Langford of Trinity, umpire; E. K. Hall of Dartmouth, a member of the intercollegiate rules committee, field judge; and James Donnelly of Dartmouth, head linesman.

The probable line-up:

ANDOVER	EXETER
Coates, le.	re. Lennox, Falkner
Pierce, lt.	rt. Mitchell
J. Fletcher, lg.	rg. Cooney
Large, c.	cg. Downing
Potter, rg.	lg. Blauenthal
P. Fletcher, rt.	lt. Dunn James
Paine, re.	le. Murray
Miller, lb.	qb. Sharon
Ely, lb.	rb. Ross, Pearson
Waterman, rlb.	lb. Cornell
Porter, fb.	fb. Way

Punchard o. Methuen o

Neither team was able to score in the football game between Punchard and Methuen on the played last Friday. It was a great disappointment to the local boys inasmuch as victory meant the possession of the league cup which has been won the last two seasons by Punchard. The teams met again on Thanksgiving Day, and an interesting game can be expected.

The game was played on a wet field and the slippery ball lost Punchard's best opportunity to score when Lindsay ran 60 yards and dropped the ball after he had eluded the last Methuen tackler. The Methuen team excelled in team work and tackled well.

The line-up:

PUNCHARD	METHUEN
Towne, le	re Rutter
S. Boland, lt	rt Oliver
A. Morrison, lg	rg Hyde
Rhodes, c	cg Douglas
Haigh, rg	lg Needham
F. Morrison, rt	lt Johnson
Lindsay, re	le Bower
Lawson, qb	qb Garry
H. Boland, lb	rb Mahoney
Smith, rlb	lbh Sagar
Anderson, fb	fb Houston

Score, Punchard High 0, Methuen High 0. Referee, Gregg. Umpire, Poynter. Field judge, Curtis. Linesman, Gilbert. Time, 20 and 15 min. halves.

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Lv. Andover Square—for Lawrence—5.37 a.m. and every 30 m. until 12.37 m., then every 15 m. until 11.37 p.m. Sunday, first car 7.37 a.m.

Lv. Andover Square—for Reading—5.50 a.m. and every 30 m. until 10.50 p.m. Sunday, first car 7.53 a.m.

(Cars connect at Reading Square with cars for Winchester, Woburn, Arlington, Lynn and Lowell. First car to Boston 7 a.m. Last toward car to Boston 10.30 p.m.)

Haverhill Division—
Lv. Haverhill Transfer—for Andover—5.30 a.m. and every 30 m. until 10.30 p.m. Sunday, first car at 7.30 a.m.

Haverhill Division—
Lv. Andover Square—for Haverhill, (via North Andover and Bradford)—6.15 a.m., 7.15 a.m. and every 30 m. until 11.15 p.m. Sunday, first car 8.15 a.m.

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Lawrence Division—
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Lv. Reading—for Andover—6.00 a.m. and every 30 m. until 11.00 p.m. Sunday, first car 7 a.m.

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11.00 p.m. from Boston, New York, South and West.

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7.15 p.m. from Boston, New York, South and West.

7.30 p.m. from Lawrence, North Andover, Haverhill, East and West.

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TAFT WINS

Republicans Carry New York,

Ohio, Indiana, Illinois

and Nebraska.

New York, Nov. 4.—The next President of the United States will be William Howard Taft, Republican, of Ohio. The next vice president will be James Schoolcraft Sherman, Republican, of New York.

This is the verdict returned by the majority of the 15,000,000 voters of the United States. The Republican candidate has repeated Mr. Roosevelt's feat of carrying every northern state, giving him a clear majority in the electoral college of 141 over William Jennings Bryan, the Democratic candidate.

Mr. Taft will receive 312 electoral votes to Mr. Bryan's 171. Oklahoma, the state created since the last presidential election, has enrolled itself, as was expected, in the Democratic column.

The states considered doubtful before the election have gone as follows: Maryland, Republican; Indiana, Republican; Nebraska, Republican; New York, Republican; Ohio, Republican; and West Virginia, Republican. In most of these states the vote is close.

Pennsylvania has gone Republican by 200,000 majority and New Jersey by 10,000, the figures in 1904 being 505,519 and 50,508 respectively. Connecticut is Republican save in a few cities and towns, but Congressman George L. Lilley, the Republican candidate for governor, ran behind Mr. Taft. His majority is 10,000, whereas the Republican presidential candidate has carried the state by 20,000. This is below Mr. Roosevelt's figure in 1904, and the same thing is true of practically every state in the Union that has been carried by both Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Taft.

The lower house of the Sixty-first congress will be Republican, but by a reduced majority. With returns from some districts still in doubt and others contested it appears now that the house will remain safely Republican. The senate will remain Republican. Speaker Cannon has won his fight for re-election, but by a reduced majority.

Most of the great cities of the country have gone Republican, with the exception of New York and Chicago. In each of these cases, however, the rural Republican majority has been sufficiently large to offset the Democratic urban vote. St. Louis has gone Republican, while the rest of Missouri is heavily Democratic.

Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, the great central states, with an aggregate of sixty-five electoral votes, have gone Republican despite the fight made to bring them into the Democratic column. The success of Mr. Taft in these states, considered vitally necessary to his election, has carried with it the success of the Republican state tickets. Governor Deen in Illinois and Governor Harris in Ohio, Republican candidates for re-election, retain their seats, and Congressman Watson will succeed J. Frank Hanly in Indiana. Republican hopes of carrying Kentucky proved vain in spite of the victory of William, Republican, in the gubernatorial contest last year. The greater part of the state's congressional delegation will be Democratic.

The Pacific coast states, California, Washington and Oregon, have given their votes to the Republican candidate, but Nevada, which voted against Parker in 1904, gave its votes this year to Bryan. Montana, the Dakotas and Minnesota are again Republican, but Governor Johnson's personal popularity has sufficed to seat him again in the gubernatorial chair of the North Star state. Wisconsin, Michigan, Iowa and in fact the entire west and northwest are Republican, but, as noted above, by lowered majorities.

The "solid south" is still solidly Democratic. Mr. Bryan polling the usual large majorities. Only in Maryland has the Republican party made serious inroads on the Democratic vote, and in that state not sufficiently to change the result. Delaware, about which some doubt was expressed before the election, has gone Republican. The New England states have gone for Taft and have elected Republican governors, but the vote in Rhode Island, where the Democrats made a strong fight, is very close. In Massachusetts the Independence party candidate for governor made a poor showing, running far behind the vote of Thomas L. Higinson last year.

New York city has been carried by Bryan and Chandler, the Democratic candidates for president and governor winning in all five boroughs. Of the city's 680,000 voters Mr. Bryan has received 350,000 and Mr. Chandler 400,000. The figures for the entire state are as follows: Taft, 880,000; Bryan, 700,000; Hughes, 815,250; Chandler, 804,750.

The electoral vote is as follows:

Bryan, Taft.

Alabama.....11

Arkansas.....9

California.....10

Colorado.....5

Connecticut.....7

Delaware.....3

Florida.....5

Georgia.....13

Idaho.....3

Illinois.....27

Indiana.....15

Iowa.....13

Kansas.....10

Kentucky.....13

Louisiana.....9

Maine.....4

Maryland.....6

Massachusetts.....16

PRESIDENCY

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Have Large Majority In

Electoral College.

Michigan.....14

Minnesota.....11

Mississippi.....10

Missouri.....18

Montana.....3

Nebraska.....8

Nevada.....3

New Hampshire.....4

New Jersey.....12

New York.....39

North Carolina.....12

North Dakota.....3

Ohio.....23

Oklahoma.....7

Oregon.....3

Pennsylvania.....34

Rhode Island.....4

South Carolina.....9

South Dakota.....3

Tennessee.....12

Texas.....18

Utah.....3

Vermont.....4

Virginia.....12

Washington.....5

West Virginia.....7

Wisconsin.....13

Wyoming.....3

Totals.....171 312

THE EMPIRE STATE

Hughes Wins by More Than 50,000

Over His Democratic Opponent

New York, Nov. 4.—Governor Hughes won by over 50,000 the biennial battle of High Bridge which was waged again as the regiments of ballots were marshaled.

Hughes came down to the city from up-state with an indicated plurality of about 121,000. Chandler's plurality south of High Bridge was approximately 65,000. The vote of two years ago was increased by about 140,000. Chandler surprised the Democratic leaders by an expected large vote in the rural districts, but lost tremendously in the city and county of New York, where his followers had expected at least 100,000 plurality.

Reports from all parts of the state indicate that the vote was heavy, the efforts of both gubernatorial candidates to bring out the ballots being rewarded with success. Both the old parties polled full votes, their strength not being seriously affected by the independence, Socialist and other minor parties. Shearn, Independence party candidate for governor, ran ahead of Wanhope, the Socialist nominee.

The state's congressional representation will be divided, as at present, among the two parties, with one change. Hillquit, Socialist, being elected in the Ninth district in place of Riordan, Democrat. The next legislature will be Republican in both branches, insuring a Republican successor for Senator Thomas C. Platt, who will leave the senate in March.

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The Election

Andover set a new mark on Election Day when she polled over 80 per cent of her entire vote, exactly 1205 out of 1397 registering their choice for one or more of the offices to be filled.

The result of the National Election must be extremely gratifying to the great conservative interests of the country. No man ever entered upon a campaign with better training or possessing stronger endorsements than did the Republican candidate. Representing the policies that have made the administration of President Roosevelt so popular with the people, he combined with that strength a reputation for conservative judgment, well balanced mind, and deliberation. The nation is most fortunate in its opportunity to command the services as its chief Executive of the Hon. Wm. H. Taft, and his success at the polls demonstrates anew that the American voters seldom fail to show discrimination in picking high officials when great crises are at hand.

Mr. Draper's vote for Governor is a good one, but can hardly be considered as satisfactory. Nightly on the stump he has charged that his democratic opponent was a weak character, and other speakers and most of the press have ridiculed the aspirations of Mr. Vahey to be Governor.

In the light of all this Mr. Vahey commands the support of as large a democratic following as Massachusetts has averaged to have in the past twenty years, and reduces the plurality of his Republican opponent more than fifty thousand from that received by the candidate for President. The figures are significant, and indicate that while Massachusetts is a strong Republican state, her citizens have very positive convictions regarding many of the characteristics that have marked political campaigns in Massachusetts in the past three or four years. Notwithstanding this falling off in Mr. Draper's plurality, there is a general satisfaction in his election, and a universal desire on the part of the people that his first year's administration will make him such a Governor as to deserve, and receive further and more popular approval from Massachusetts voters. Of course his associates on the ticket were all elected with large majorities, as is customary in Massachusetts.

Coming nearer home there were no surprises except in connection with the contest for Representative. Many reasons have been suggested to explain the small plurality received by the Republican candidate, and probably there is more or less point in each of these suggestions. Not for a long time has the town known of such a hustle for office as that in which the Democratic candidate engaged. From early morning to late at night Mr. Burns was out asking, from Republicans and Democrats alike, a "complimentary vote". Such a vote was undoubtedly given him by very many Republicans who felt, as several expressed themselves, that "it was good to pay the compliment to a young man as popular and as deserving as Mr. Burns, as long as there was no danger of his election." It was, however, playing with political fire, as can now readily be seen, when a town which gives the candidate for President a plurality of over 500, gives the candidate for Representative only 60. It is true also, that comparatively speaking, few of the people of Andover knew Mr. McTernan. And while it is a fact that even fewer of them knew many of the candidates on the Republican ticket, yet gave them their most hearty support, the home candidate always suffers much more than the outsider through such a condition of things.

Mr. Burns has every reason to be proud of the flattering vote that he received. He has probably come nearer to an election than any Democrat ever will again in the strong Republican town of Andover. We have no other words to utter regarding the worth of Mr. McTernan. We have believed that he will represent the town faithfully and honorably, and a year from now he will be sure to have a higher standing with a good many more people in Andover than he has to-day.

Editorial Cinders

Andover vs. Exeter to-morrow, and may the blue again wave above the red, as it has so frequently during the last twenty years. There are many contests to stir the blood and enliven the public, but there are none to attract larger crowds, and give more entertainment per minute, than does a modern game of foot-ball when a college or school rivalry is the incentive to produce the player's best. Clean sport now controls our Andover institution, and it is the cause of much satisfaction that the sound bodies which will be noted in to-morrow's contest represent a training where scholarship is counted hardly less than athletic prowess.

As John Underwood recently said, "Everything runs to fairs in Andover at the present time." And if there is a single person in the town who will not have his or her Christmas shopping done by the time the last one is passed by, it won't be because those who carry on the various church bazaars have not endeavored to supply all the needs. Reports from those held so far indicate most successful events, and we certainly trust that the Free Church fair which closes to-night will not fail to be practically a "high liner" so far as the work of catching pennies is concerned, for it deserves, and should receive, a generous patronage.

FREE CHURCH FAIR

Large Attendance at the Opening Last Night—Many Attractive Displays

The Free Church fair opened in the vestry of the church building yesterday with a gratifying attendance. The fair is conducted by the ladies of the church and the profits will be used to reduce the small church debt. Much time and work has been spent in preparation for the fair, and the patronage last night shows that their efforts will be well rewarded.

The general color scheme of the decorations is green and white, evergreen being profusely used. The tables and booths are arranged and dressed in attractive fashion, each table having its own particular colors. The new church building is admirably adapted for affairs of this kind, and a splendid general effect has been secured.

In the large vestry are all the booths and tables. The ladies' parlor is arranged as a Japanese room and the art display occupies the pastor's study. Downstairs is the dining hall, shooting gallery and cloak room.

One of the very attractive features of the opening night was the supper which is served at a reasonable price. This feature of the fair was largely patronized last night.

During the evening music was furnished by Pearce's orchestra, and groups of songs were given by Mrs. Moore and Miss Carolyn Burtt.

The committees and attendants are as follows:

Fancy Work—Mrs. Derrah, Alice Leslie, Bertha Coutts, Annie Anderson, Grace Leslie, Mrs. Charles Baldwin.

Flower—Annabel Richardson, Martha Goff, Elizabeth Gordon, Bessie Cunningham, Fannie M. Angus.

Candy—Ruby Jackson, Elizabeth Bruce, Isabella Dick, Margaret Gordon, Jean Dundas.

Canned Fruits and Jellies—Mrs. Arthur Jackson, Mrs. Paine, Mrs. Geo. Carter, Miss Florence Richardson.

Home Bakery—Mrs. Charles Hussey, Mrs. William Scott, Mrs. John Gordon, Mrs. George A. Christie, Mrs. John Richardson.

Art Room—Miss Davis, Mrs. James Anderson.

Domestic—Mrs. Eliza Allen, Mrs. Thomas Peters, Mrs. Henry Russell, Mrs. Andrew Kydd.

Japanese—Edith Donald, Ethel Clark, Marion Saunders.

Good Housekeeping—Mrs. Todd, Mrs. May.

Shooting Gallery—James Leslie, George Ireland, Wallace Angus, William Valentine.

Cloak Room—John Wyllie.

Entertainment Committee—David Lindsay, John A. Kydd, Alice Coutts, Mary Scott.

Printing and Advertising—D. L. Coutts, G. A. Christie.

Treasurer—George Hussey.

Last Night of Grange Fair

The Grange fair on last Friday night attracted many local people who had been kept away on the previous night by the severe storm. The main hall was crowded and the various tables did a thriving business, especially the supper table, where the entire supply of eatables was exhausted.

The hall was very prettily decorated upstairs and down with evergreen and colored streamers. E. W. Burtt and Burke Thornton composed a most efficient decorating committee.

On both evenings very enjoyable musical selections were rendered. Miss Adams of the Haverhill Grange played the violin and was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Burke Thornton of the Andover Grange.

The fair was one of the most successful in many years, and the members who worked so hard for its success feel fully repaid for their tireless efforts. During the evening a ton of coal, which was given to the Grange by Jerome W. Cross, was auctioned to George L. Averill.

Later in the evening the results of the several prize contests were announced as follows:

Cake, weight, 3 pounds, 8 ounces, Mrs. George Carter.

Sofa pillow (Grange Seal) donated by the Wilmington Grange. Beans in bottle 355, Mrs. S. A. Trauschke 353.

Clock. Number of shot in bottle, 262. Nearest guess 258, Luella Phelps.

Palm. Number of kernels on ear of corn, 412. Nearest guess 411, Ralph Bailey.

Pipe. Number of cranberries in bottle, 144. Nearest guess, George L. Averill, 145.

Vegetables. Number of seeds in squash, 554. Nearest guess 537, George M. Carter.

Cake on Gentlemen's table. Number of articles in bottle, 220. George M. Carter, 220.

Barrel of flour. Lucky number, 48, George L. Averill.

Silver knife and fork. Number of kernels on ear of corn, 865. Nearest guess, 856, E. S. Hardy.

Horse blanket. Number of shot and tacks in bottle, 1957. Nearest guess 1977, Ralph A. Bailey.

Sofa pillow on apron table. (Grange seal. Number of seeds in squash, 584. Nearest guess 561, Mrs. J. H. Playdon.

It isn't pleasant to record the loss of any one of the efficient workers in the Andover school department, and it is with great regret that the decision of Miss Hoar to leave for another field is noted. She has occupied the position of Music Teacher in Andover for a number of years, and her work has been well done in this department of the Public Schools. She has made herself many friends in the town and the best wishes of the community are her's as she leaves for a new field.

Card of Thanks

Boston, Mass., Nov. 5, 1908.

To the Citizens of Andover:

The writer wishes to take this occasion to extend to the people of Andover his heartfelt thanks, and his deep appreciation for their loyal support in the contest for Representative.

The daily words of encouragement from so many good friends in both parties were a great help, and an incentive to greater efforts.

JOSEPH L. BURNS.

The following letter has been received by Representative-elect Andrew McTernan:

Boston, Mass., Nov. 5, 1908.
Mr. Andrew McTernan,
Andover, Mass.

My dear Mr. McTernan:

I extend to you my heartiest congratulations on your election to the State Legislature.

Your nomination by the Republican party on September 22 in a field of so many strong opponents, is evidence of the high esteem in which you are held by the people of Andover.

Your election on November third to an office which any man might well feel honored in filling is further evidence of the confidence, of the trust the people have in you. That your work in the General Court may bring honor to you, and credit to the Town of Andover is my sincere heartfelt wish.

Sincerely yours,

JOSEPH L. BURNS.

Foot Ball Tickets

The sale of reserved seat tickets for the Exeter game, which has been going on since last week Wednesday at the Andover Bookstore, will continue until 11 a.m. Saturday. The seats have had a large sale and there are comparatively few remaining, although two new stands containing 144 seats have been erected on the easterly end of the Exeter side of the field. The sale of reserved seat tickets will be continued at the field at 12.30. No tickets will be reserved after 11 o'clock. Whatever seats remain from those sent to Exeter will be put on sale as soon as received.

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New Reservoir in Use

Last Sunday the pumps were put to work to fill the new reservoir on Prospect Hill, and at 11 o'clock on Monday forenoon the high pressure water service was started. Water is now furnished from this source on the following streets: Prospect Hill road, part of Holt street, Reservoir street, Hidden road, Highland road, Salem street, Bartlett street above Morton, and Main street above Chapel avenue.

Work on the reservoir and water service extensions was authorized by a town meeting held April 13 and work was started July 1 and completed October 1. The dimensions of the reservoir are 61 feet in diameter at the bottom, 100 feet at high water mark and 109 feet across the top. The capacity is 504,565 gallons. The work was done by D. Linnehan and Sons of Prides Crossing.

New pumping machinery has been installed on Reservoir street at the approach to the old reservoir to pump from the old system into the Prospect Hill reservoir. This pumping plant consists of a 25 h.p. Miett and Weiss oil engine direct connected by a friction clutch to a 10 x 10 triplex Deane pump. The capacity of the pump is 420 gallons per minute, but it will ordinarily be operated at the rate of 350 gallons a minute.

The increase in pressure secured by the installation of this high pressure service amounts to about 45 pounds and the water pressure on the hill and that at the square is now about the same.

A. V. I. S. Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Andover Village Improvement Society for the election of officers, and other business, will be held in the School Committee's room, Town hall, Monday evening, November 9, 1908, at 7.30 o'clock.

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BEATING CAUSED DEATH

**Woman Succumbs to Injuries Re-
ceived at Hands of Thugs**
Lawrence, Mass., Nov. 3.—As the re-
sult of an autopsy held by Medical Ex-
aminer Dow on the body of Mrs. Mar-
garet Smith of Methuen, aged 53, found
dead in the rear of her boarding house
on Broadway, it was decided the woman
came to her death as the result of
an assault in which she was beaten
over the head.

Mrs. Smith, who was employed as a
weaver in the Arlington mills, was re-
turning home late Sunday night with
her husband when the two were set
upon by five men. Smith was rushed
into an adjoining alley, while his wife
was dragged in another direction. While
the thugs were beating Smith the latter
heard his wife cry out for help. An officer
and one of the nearby tenants came to the scene on hearing
the cries and the assailants fled. Robbery
is believed to have been the mo-
tive of assault.

The murder occurred in the city of
Lawrence, near the Methuen line, and
the officers of this city have taken the
case up for investigation.

BATTLESHIPS GET

"FROST" AT AMOY

**Participation in Celebration Is
Denied the Chinese**

Amoy, Nov. 1.—Rear Admiral Emory,
commanding the second squadron
of the United States Atlantic fleet,
came ashore yesterday afternoon and
made a formal call upon Prince Yu
Lang and Liang Yun Yen, vice president
of the foreign board, who are represent-
ing the imperial government in the wel-
come of the Americans. Later 1000
men of the fleet and 124 officers landed.
No special program had been arranged
for their entertainment and the men
spent the time wandering about the
temple and reception ground.

Last evening 124 officers of the fleet
were entertained at dinner by the im-
perial Chinese commissioners and the
reception committee of Chinese. The
menu was native.

Only a few natives turned out to wit-
ness the arrival of the battleships, com-
posing as they do the strongest naval
force that ever entered this port. Only
100 Chinese guests will be admitted to
the grounds on which the celebrations
are planned for the reception. Resent-
ment at the severe measures taken to
exclude Chinese from participation in
the celebration is the cause of the
apathy shown. The British consul has
issued a circular stating that the local
officials have declined to issue more
than sixty passes to the enclosure to
British subjects and that in conse-
quence he will refuse to accept a pass.

Whitmore Acquitted by Jury
Jersey City, N. J., Nov. 1.—After
being out two hours, the jury in the
case of Theodore Whitmore, on trial for
the murder of his wife, whose battered
body was found on Dec. 26 of last year
in a swamp near Harrison, N. J., re-
turned a verdict of not guilty last night.
Whitmore's defense was an alibi which
he was able to establish by a number of
witnesses. The jury was out a little
more than two hours.

Sperry's Fleet at Olongapo
Manila, Nov. 1.—The first squadron
of the Atlantic battleship fleet reached
Olongapo, P. I., this morning. The
weather has been fine throughout the
trip from Japan and the ships have
been occupied with squadron evolutions
and careful preparations for target prac-
tice. Otherwise the journey has been
uneventful. Wireless communication
will be retained with Manila while the
fleet is at Olongapo.

Twenty Miles by Aeroplane
Mourmelon, France, Nov. 1.—Henry
Farman, for the first time, gave a prac-
tical demonstration of the possibilities
of the aeroplane by flying direct from
this place to Rheims, a distance of
twenty miles, without mishap. The
time of flight was twenty minutes and
the height reached was between 120
and 150 feet. The course was literally
as the crow flies, over trees, fields and
streams.

Army Officer in Disgrace
Leavenworth, Kan., Nov. 1.—Major
John Stone, chief surgeon of the mili-
tary prison at Fort Leavenworth, has
been sentenced to a reduction of ten
files in rank, six months' confinement
to the limits of the post and a monthly
fine of \$50 for the same period, as a re-
sult of a court martial trial. Stone was
charged with refusal to obey orders
and conduct unbecoming an officer.

Held on Murder Charge
Augusta, Me., Nov. 4.—Fred Davis
was arrested by City Marshal Fletcher
this morning after a long hearing,
charged with the murder of George
Dunham, found dead Saturday in Chel-
sea, near the Soldiers' home. Lillian
Chamberlain, who claims to be Davis'
wife, was held as a witness.

Actress Killed by Morphine
Alameda, Cal., Nov. 3.—Miss Ida
Beamer, an actress said to belong to a
wealthy family in Pennsylvania, died in
a sanitarium in this city from the ef-
fects of an overdose of morphine. The
police believe the woman committed
suicide because of a love affair.

Strikebreakers Join Unionists
Rumford, Me., Nov. 3.—Seven strike-
breakers came here last night to go to
work in the mills of the International
Paper company, but they had barely
arrived when six of them went over to
the union ranks and declined to go to
work.

LONG A RULER
OF SOCIAL SET

**Death of Mrs. Astor, Who Estab-
lished the "Four Hundred"**

SUCCEUMS TO HEART DISEASE

**Remarkable Vitality Kept Her Alive
Until She Reached Age of Eighty-
Two—Held Social Domination Up
to a Year Ago—Astor Emeralds
Are Said to Be the Finest in the
World—Leaves Son and Daughters**

New York, Nov. 1.—Mrs. William
Astor, who for thirty years has been re-
garded as the social leader of New
York, died last night of heart disease at
her home in Fifth avenue. For nearly
four weeks Mrs. Astor, who was 82
years old, had been in a critical con-
dition, owing to the return of an affection
of the heart from which she suffered
for a number of years. Only her re-
markable vitality kept her alive.

Mrs. Orme Wilson, a daughter of Mrs.
Astor, has been almost constantly at her
mother's bedside for several days and
was with her mother when she died. Mrs.
Wilson has suffered a nervous
breakdown as a result of her attendance
upon her mother and is under the care of
the Astor family physician.

There is not a name in the social re-
gister that is so well known from one
end of the land to the other as that of
Mrs. Astor. Despite her advancing
years, Mrs. Astor continued to hold her
social domination up to a year ago,
when her failing health compelled her
to retire into comparative seclusion.

It was in the summer of 1907 that
Mrs. Astor's friends learned of her ill-
health. While she was abroad last year
her son, John Jacob Astor, made the
announcement that Beechwood, Mrs.
Astor's summer home at Newport, would
not be opened and this led to the knowl-
edge that Mrs. Astor was in poor health.
Word came later from Mrs. Astor while
she was in Paris saying that she would
open her Newport villa, and that she would
make the season there one of the gayest in years.

This promise was not kept, however,
for when she returned from abroad she
broke down in Boston and had to be
brought to New York. She had re-
mained at her home here ever since.
Four weeks ago the heart trouble re-
turned in a more serious form than
ever before and Dr. Flint was in daily
attendance upon her. A bulletin was
issued yesterday that the society leader
had spent a comfortable night, but last
night she grew rapidly worse and her
relatives were called to the bedside.
Mrs. Astor passed peacefully away.

The society functions given and pre-
sided over by Mrs. Astor have gone
down into history as the most brilliant
on record in America. It is said that
the ballroom in the mansion on Fifth
avenue would accommodate 1000 people.
It was Mrs. Astor who established the
famous "400," her visiting list be-
ing confined to that number of names.
In 1906, however, she was said to have
"let down the bars" when she invited
1200 persons to one of the most mem-
orable social events ever given in New
York. Mrs. Astor received her guests
at these gatherings seated in a high-
backed chair beneath a portrait of her-
self. The Astor jewels were worn by
Mrs. Astor on these occasions. It is
said the Astor emeralds are the finest
in the world.

William Astor, who died in Paris in
1892, took little part in the social ac-
tivities his wife enjoyed. Mrs. Astor was
Miss Caroline Schermerhorn, a daugh-
ter of a well-to-do merchant. She was
married to William Astor on Sept. 23,
1853. John Jacob Astor was their only
son. There were four daughters, two
of whom, Mrs. Ogilvie Hays and Mrs.
Orme Wilson, are now living. The eld-
est daughter, Miss Emily Astor, who
married J. J. Van Allen, died some
years ago, as did Miss Helen Astor,
who married James Roosevelt-Rose-
velt.

NEW ENGLAND BRIEFS

**The body of an unknown man, appar-
ently of about middle age, was found in
a pasture at North Blue Hill, Me. The
man had evidently been dead a long
time.**

**Alfred W. Faxon of Brockton, Mass.,
aged 65, a salesman for a dry goods
firm, was struck and killed by a train
while walking on the tracks.**

**Professor Horace M. Estabrook, a
member of the faculty of the Univer-
sity of Maine, died at his home at Orono
as the result of injuries received by a
fall. He was born in 1849.**

**Mrs. Mary Campbell, 30 years old,
was found dead of gas poisoning at her
home at Boston. Appearances indi-
cated that she committed suicide. Her
body was found by her husband when
he returned from work.**

**Byron B. Foss, aged 45, a mill worker,
was killed by a train at North Anson,
Me., while walking on the railroad
tracks.**

**Timothy Daly, aged 55, choked to
death in a Boston restaurant while eat-
ing steak.**

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TALES OF THE DERBY

**Some of the Winners That Were
Not Liked as Youngsters.**

BOUGHT FOR A MERE TRIFLE.

**Little Wonder, Who Carried Off the
Blue Ribbon in 1906, Cost His Own-
er Only \$325—The Successes of Vol-
tigueur and Thormanby.**

Stories of Derby winners having
been sold as youngsters for exceed-
ingly small sums are fairly numerous,
and without going too far back into
the recesses of the past at least two
instances can be cited of animals de-
signed ultimately to win the "blue rib-
bon of the turf" which as yearlings
no one thought good enough to buy.
Voltigueur was one of these, and the
other was Thormanby.

Voltigueur was bred by Robert Ste-
phenson in 1847 and as a yearling was
sent up to be sold at the Donecaster
sales, a reserve price of \$1,750 being
placed on him. Not a man was found
to bid that much for him; consequently
he was withdrawn.

In all probability he would have re-
mained unsold had not Williamson, a
relative by marriage of Lord Zealand,
seen him and, having taken a fancy to
him, finally persuaded his lordship to
buy him.

His judgment was triumphantly vin-
dicated, for not only did Voltigueur win
the Derby and St. Leger, but he suc-
ceeded in establishing a line of thor-
oughbreds which is at present domi-
nant on the English turf and likely to
remain so for some time to come.

Thormanby, too, was sent up to be
disposed at the Donecaster and, like
Voltigueur, did not reach a nominal re-
serve. Desirous of getting rid of him,
however, Plummer, his breeder, re-
quested his famous trainer, Matt Dawson,
to come and have a thorough look
at him.

This Dawson did and, perceiving at
a glance good points about him, which
no one else apparently had noticed,
bought him for Merry, his patron.
Strange enough, Dawson gave the
same figure for Thormanby as that
paid for Voltigueur.

As a two-year-old Thormanby ran
fourteen times and out of this number
scored nine wins, and in the Derby of
the following year he beat a field of
thirty. It was said that the race net-
ted Merry the nice sum of \$200,000.

The cheapest horse that ever won
the Derby was Little Wonder, which
was successful in 1940, for he cost his
owner, Robertson, the meager sum of
only \$325.

Spaniel, too, winner of the race in
1831, was picked up for a very small
sum. Lord Exerton, his breeder, letting
him go for \$750.

Pyrrhus J., which won in 1846, was
purchased by John Day, the noted
trainer, as a yearling at Donecaster,
Gaily, the pugilist taking a half in-
terest in him.

As a two-year-old the horse never
ran, and seemingly his abilities were
then of an unknown quantity, for at
the end of the season Day agreed to
sell his half share in him to Gully for
\$500. Day's chagrin at his subsequent
victory in the Derby was very great.

Teddington, the winner of 1851, was
bred by a blacksmith, who sold him
as a foal, together with his dam, to
Sir Joseph Hawley for \$1,250 and a
further \$5,000 if he won the Derby.

Sir Joseph and his confederate, Mas-
sey Stanhope, to whom the horse re-
ally belonged, profited largely over the
success, and the Jockey, Marson, who
rode the horse, received \$10,000 as a
token of victory, which in those days
was unprecedented.

Sainfoin, which carried the colors of
Sir James Miller to the front, was an
exceptionally fortunate purchase by
John Porter, the trainer. He bought
the colt out of the Hampton Court lot
of yearlings in 1888 for the very re-
asonable price of \$2,720. Sir Robert Dar-
line taking a half interest in him.

As a two-year-old he was seen only
once in public, and he won his race
with the greatest ease. The year fol-
lowing he won the Esher stakes in a
canter, after which he was sold to
Sir James Miller for \$50,000 and a con-
tingency of half the stakes if he won
the Derby. It was indeed a profitable
deal for Porter and Sir Robert.

Another instance of Porter's shrewd-
ness as a horse dealer was his pur-
chase of the great horse Isomomy for
the bagatelle figure, comparatively
speaking, of \$1,800. The real owner
was Fred Gretton.

Isomomy gave no real promise of his
worth as a two-year-old, his only vic-
tory being a purse stake in the year-
ling part of the season. As a three-
year-old he was not seen in public un-
til the Cambridgeshire, which he won
easily by two lengths and incidentally
earned no less than \$200,000 in bets
for his owner.

Had he been in the classic races he
would in all probability have cleaned
the board.

As a four-year-old he won the gold
cup at Ascot and the Goodwood and
Brighton cups and crowned these feats
by literally running away with the
Great Ebor handicap, carrying the
rushing weight of 138 pounds.

The following year Isomomy proved
himself a better horse than ever, not
only winning the Ascot gold cup again,
but also the Manchester cup with the
almost impossible burden, one would
think, of 138 pounds.

It has been calculated that altogeth-
er Isomomy won for his owner up-
ward of \$500,000 in stakes and bets,
which for an \$1,800 investment was a
colossal profit.—Brooklyn Eagle.

If you will not take pains, pains will
take you.—Whately.

Laws on the use of Water

The National Conservation Com-
mission is compiling for publication
a single volume all the laws and
court decisions, both State and Fed-
eral, which relate to the use of water
in the United States. This manual
will be of immense practical value and
it is somewhat remarkable, consid-
ering the wide number of interests
which are touched by these laws, that
no such compilation has been made
before this. With the constantly
growing demand for inter-State water-
ways, the increasing utilization of
electricity, and the widening areas
of semiarid Western plains that are
being made arable through irrigation,
these laws at the present time affect
the interests of a wide variety of in-
dividuals and corporations, and in the
immediate future the number whose
business is directly touched will be-
yond doubt be greatly increased.

The work which the National Con-
servation Commission is doing along
this line is extremely thorough and
the compilation will be complete. It
will include all State and National
statutes and all court decisions which
concern water rights and kindred
questions on both navigable and non-
navigable streams and lakes. The
citations will include all acts which
relate to riparian rights, and public
usufruct of water, and all statutes
which concern mills, pollution of
water, interference with navigation
or the use of streams for power, dam-
ming of streams, diverting stream-
flow, and so on—in short, all acts
which affect the use of waters and
their private appropriation to power
or other purposes. In the book will
be included also some authoritative
discussion of the principles involved
in these laws.

The National Conservation Com-
mission in its endeavor to make the
compilation absolutely complete and
accurate has called upon the Govern-
ment of all the States for assistance
and the replies in every instance have
promised support. Considerably more
than half the States have already ap-
pointed State Conservation Commis-
sions for the specific purpose of co-
operating with the National Commission
in its work of gathering the material
which will be embodied in the report
to the President the first of the year.
In the other States the State officials
whose work most nearly touches this
project are at work.

A single volume containing all the
laws which bear upon the use of
waters in the various parts of the
country, will be an exceedingly useful
reference handbook. It holds possi-
bilities of an even greater usefulness
in that it will exhibit within limits
that make ready comparison possi-
ble, not only the general tendencies
of the laws and decisions on this
subject, but the discrepancies that ex-
ist between the regulations of differ-
ent States.

The fear is frequently expressed
that the tendency towards monopo-
lization of water power, which has al-
ready made very great progress in
some parts of the country, will result
in practically all of this extremely
valuable natural resource passing
from the people as a whole into the
hands of comparatively a few men,
with resulting higher cost of water
power and water-developed electricity
to consumers and a tremendous ad-
vantage to the few possessors. If
this danger is justified by the present
laws, it is a matter of great impor-
tance to make this fact apparent at
once. For this purpose nothing could
be more effective than such a pre-
sentation of all the laws on the sub-
ject as that which the Commission is
preparing.

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only counterfeit life in their actions,
but also speak, will be seen before
long in this country—imported from
Paris, which is the manufacturing
center for all such ingenious contrivances.

It is safe to say that nothing in the
world, exhibited in a shop window,
attracts attention so quickly as a
"show piece"—the name by which au-
tomata are known in trade. Thus it
happens that many of them are used
in this country for advertising pur-
poses, invariably engaging the eager
interest of crowds which gather to
gaze upon them. Counterfeiting life
with a cleverness that is often little
short of marvelous, and actuated by
mechanism artfully concealed, they
appeal both to curiosity and to the
appetite for the mysterious which is
latent in every human breast.

To lend the automaton a voice, by
the help of a phonograph, is a mat-
ter simple enough. The real marvel
of these contrivances lies in the inge-
nuity employed to give them such
lifelike movement; and the simplicity
of the mechanism used does but add
to the wonder of it. They might
be regarded as representing an ulti-
mate stage in the development of the
mechanical toy, inasmuch as not a
few toys nowadays are to all intents
and purposes automata—as, for ex-
ample, the walking doll—and the
playing which has become seem-
ingly animate is raised to the highest
imaginable power.—From Art Works
That Mimic Life, October Technical

If All Candidates Were White.
The word "candidate" is from the
Latin "candidatus." Literally it means
white robed, and it was thus called be-
cause in Rome those who sought office
were a-gleaming white toga. Fanny,
if you can, all our modern Americans
dressed in accordance with their politi-
cal ambitions. In some sections there
would be no such thing as a dark suit
or clothes. Washington would simply
be one shining center of universal
whiteness.—Saturday Evening Post.

Costs Sometimes.
"Politeness costs nothing," said the
man of ready made wisdom.
"I guess," answered Mr. Camrox,
"that you never had any experiences
with these café waiters who regulate
their politeness by the size of the tip."
—Washington Star.

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the liver active and the bowels
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the forests of the United States at a
rate of 500 feet board measure a year
for every man, woman, and child.
In Europe they use only 60 board
feet."

Few statements could be made
which would better convince the aver-
age man that this country leads the
world in the demand for timber. It
is made by Treadwell Cleveland, Jr.,
in a circular which treats of the con-
servation of the forests, soil, water,
and all the other great natural re-
sources, which has just been pub-
lished by the United States Forest
Service. In speaking further of the
consumption of timber in this country,
Mr. Cleveland says:

"At this rate, in less than thirty
years all our remaining virgin timber
will be cut. Meantime, the forests
which have been cut over are gener-
ally in a bad way for want of care;
they will produce only inferior second
growth. We are clearly over the
verge of a timber famine."

"This is not due to necessity, for
the forests are one of the renewable
resources. Rightly used, they go on
producing crop after crop indefinitely.
The countries of Europe know this,
and Japan knows it; and their
forests are becoming with time not
less, but more, productive. We prob-
ably still possess sufficient forest
land to grow wood enough at home
to supply our own needs. If we are
not blind, or willfully wasteful, we
may yet preserve our forest indepen-
dence and, with it, the fourth of
our great industries."

"Present wastes in lumber produc-
tion are enormous. Take the case of
yellow pine, which now heads the list
in the volume of annual cut. In 1907
it is estimated that only one-half of
all the yellow pine cut during the
season was used, and that the other
half, amounting to 8,000,000 cords,
was wasted. Such waste is typical.
Mr. R. A. Long, in his address on
"Forest Conservation" at the Con-
ference of Governors last spring,
pointed out that 20 per cent. of the
yellow pine was simply left in the
woods—a waste which represents the
timber growing on 300,000 acres."

"The rest of the waste takes place
at the mill. Of course, it would never
do to speak of the material rejected
at the mill as waste unless this mat-
erial could be turned to use by some
better and more thorough form of
utilization. But in many cases we
know, and in many other cases we
have excellent reason to believe, that
most, if not all, of this material
could be used with profit. It is sim-
ply a question of intelligent investi-
gation and, more than all, of having
the will to economize."

"But there are other ways to con-
serve the forests besides cutting in
half the present waste of forest pro-
ducts. The forests can be made to
produce three or four times as rapidly
as they do at present. This is true
of both the virgin forests and the
cut-over lands. Virgin forests are
often fully stocked with first-class
timber, but this stock has been laid
in very slowly, on account of the
wasteful competition which is car-
ried on constantly between the rival
trees. Then, too, in the virgin for-
ests there are very many trees which
have reached maturity and stopped
growing, and these occupy space
which, if held by younger trees, would
be laying in a new stock constantly.
As regards the cut-over land, severe
cutting, followed by fire, has checked
growth so seriously that in most
cases reproduction is both poor and
slow, while in many other cases there
is no true forest reproduction at all
at present, and there is but little hope
for the future."

SCIENCE AND HEALTH

An Odd Use for Bread

Perhaps the most novel use to
which bread is put, says The Ameri-
can Food Journal, may be seen in
the great factories of the Elgin Na-
tional Watch Company, at Elgin, Ill.,
where more than forty loaves of fresh
bread are required each day. Super-
intendent George E. Hunter, of the
watch factory, is quoted as saying:

"There is no secret regarding the
use of bread in this factory, and I am
willing to tell all I can concerning it.
From the earliest times in the his-
tory of watchmaking, it has been the
custom of watch-makers to reduce
fresh bread to the form of dough.
This



This woman says that sick women should not fail to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as she did.

Mrs. A. Gregory, of 2355 Lawrence St., Denver, Col., writes:

"I was practically an invalid for six years, on account of female troubles. I underwent an operation by the doctor's advice, but in a few months I was worse than before. A friend advised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it restored me to perfect health, such as I have not enjoyed in many years. Any woman suffering as I did with backache, bearing-down pains, and periodic pains, should not fail to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ailments, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness or nervous prostration. Why don't you try it?

Compressed Air Saves Wrecks

Experience gained in the tunnels of New York enabled two young American engineers to achieve one of the most remarkable feats in the annals of wrecking last April on the coast of Nova Scotia. This was the salvage of the fine 9,000-ton steamship "Mount Temple," valued at \$500,000, at an outlay of only \$12,000, after it had been abandoned as hopelessly lost. Indeed, after the vessel had been placed in dry dock it was found to be so fearfully battered and torn that the cost of repairs was estimated at more than half the value of the ship, so the owners wanted it condemned. The feat called for daring as well as ingenuity, for "there was nothing between us and England," as one of the men on the job expressed it, which was his way of saying that the wreck was exposed to the full fury of the Atlantic.

At first glance there would seem to be no connection between wrecking and tunnel building, yet it was the expert use of the one thing that made the digging of the tunnels under the Hudson and East river possible that floated the "Mount Temple," and that one thing was compressed air. The achievement is all the more interesting because it was the second time the same men had saved a wreck by the same means after all the expedients known in the salvage business had been tried in vain.—From *Technical World Magazine*.

Mortgage's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Elmer E. Robinson and Minerva Blanche Robinson, in her right to the Andover Savings Bank, dated March 20th, 1904, and recorded in the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds, Book 116, page 83, will be sold at Public Auction upon the premises described in said mortgage deed and hereinafter described, on MONDAY, THE NINTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1908, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon for breach of the conditions contained in the said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, all and singular, the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage deed, to wit:—

A certain parcel of land, with all the buildings thereon, situated in the West Parish in Andover in the County of Essex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on the South side of the road leading from Lawrence to Lowell, and bounded and described as follows, to wit:—

Beginning at a stake and stones in Haggitts Pond Brook, about four rods distant Southerly from said road, thence following the course of said brook upwards to land now or formerly of Nathan Bailey, to a wall; thence by said wall North 33 and 3-4 degrees East, twenty-nine rods and twelve links, to a corner; thence by said Bailey's land as the wall runs, North 52 and 1-2 degrees West, fifty-three rods and two links, to a corner of the wall; thence by the wall South 75 degrees West, nine rods and six links to the first named stake and stones by said wall; thence beginning on the opposite side of said brook and running Northerly to said road; thence South 60 and 1-2 degrees West, eight rods and twenty links; South 58 and 1-2 degrees West, eighteen rods and nine links to a corner of the wall, by land now or formerly of Timothy Bailey and, and Nathan Shattuck; thence by said wall Southerly to a corner by land now or formerly of said Bailey; thence North 42 degrees East, sixteen rods and twenty-three links, North 72 and 1-4 degrees East, four rods and ten links by land now or formerly of said Bailey, to Haggitts Pond Brook; thence down the course of said brook to stake and stones, containing twelve acres, more or less.

The premises will be sold subject to the unpaid taxes or any other lien thereon. Terms of sale—The purchaser will be required to pay one hundred dollars at the time and place of sale, the balance of the purchase money to be paid within ten days thereafter.

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK.
By Frederick S. Boutwell, Treasurer.
Barnett Rogers, Auctioneer.

FROM AN ANDOVER WINDOW

JOHN UNDERWOOD

The Battle of the Ballots

It was a very peaceful "battle of ballots" in Andover. A larger number of horses than usual dozed beside the granite hitching-posts on the west side of Main street. There was a gentle trickle of men towards the side door of the Town house. And that was about all there was to be seen. The guns were served out in the lower town hall. They were in the shape of larger folders. Some of our citizen soldiers loaded these guns handily enough, then advanced quietly to the ballot-box, and discharged their guns into the waiting hand of Mr. Hannon. Other citizens were more confused by the number of officials standing or sitting about, and had to be taught how to fire by General W. A. Allen.

Nevertheless, it was a real battle. Modern battles have no need of loud-sounding guns or clouds of smoke. They are more modern and more determined, if the guns are noiseless and the powder smokeless. It was, in fact, a mighty battle in our national history which was fought on Tuesday. A greater or less degree of national righteousness and peace was at stake. To decide the issue, troops were engaged all over the country. This week some of us think that a great victory for righteousness was won, and some of us think that the good cause met with a great defeat. Those who read history fifty years from now will be able to tell more surely which is right about it.

Mr. Pierce's Paintings

It was a quiet one-day procession of voters into the town house. The week before, it had been a quiet one-day procession of Andoverians towards Mr. Pierce's pretty house on Morton street, to see his paintings. They went and came away, and came away having enjoyed a very real pleasure.

Apart from Mr. Pierce's merits as an artist, he infuses into his work certain emotional traits which make them very attractive. His feeling for the beauty of nature, especially in her more pensive moods, is strong and delightful. Moreover, his attitude towards child-life is so appreciative and so tender that no spectator could miss it.

Mrs. Pierce's workmanship has the valuable quality of wearing well to the eye. He has so much sympathy and so much professional dexterity that one feels that he could follow any artistic fashion of the day if he chose. He does not so choose, but follows his own way, with the result that his painting is direct and genuine. His skill is especially marked in depicting his well-loved firelight glows and shadows, vanishing sunsets, tender light on distant hills, and fleeting mists.

The collection which Mr. Pierce exhibited last week was full of local interest. With his quick eye for the poetic and the picturesque, he showed us that Andover has beauty in spots where we do not always look for it. We expected a picture of the old railroad track, and were not disappointed but it was pleasant, too, to be taken by a beauty-loving acquaintance and shown the Marland Village mill-pond at sunset, Salem street half-obscured by burning leaves, the stone steps on the Seminary grounds, the May-day festival of last Spring, and so on, and so on.

I cannot close without referring to the portrait of Mr. Bachelier. It is thoroughly satisfactory, painted with much skill and sympathy.

Mr. George Harris, Jr., at the November Club

It is not likely that Andover will have again during the season of 1908-09 so charming a concert as was that in the November clubhouse on Monday. The small size of the room restricted the number of club guests, and that was a pity. If the club had been able to secure a larger hall, they would have enabled themselves to extend to great pleasure which the concert gave to its hearers.

It implies no disrespect to Miss Lena Little's delightful singing to say that the audience came together mainly to hear Mr. Harris. They had known his father and mother in the familiar life of our small town, and they had known the young man when he was a boy in knickerbockers. Their interest in him was enlisted as a matter of course, and they were ready to be pleased with any singing, even if it were not great.

This amiable attitude on the part of the audience gave way almost immediately to astonishment and delight. They found themselves listening to the finest tenor singer that most of them had heard for many a day. Mr. Harris has a voice of great sweetness, range, and power. He sings with an excellent method, and besides that with delicate sympathy and when it is needed—with fire. The audience soon forgot to be startled, and listened only with eager enjoyment. Each listener felt himself to have been especially favored in being there, and went home to show himself unusually nice and agreeable and pleasant and kind, at least, I suppose so.

Foot Ball

Many of the Townsman's younger readers will go to bed tonight with football in their heads. Tomorrow will be the day of the season's most notable game.

Yet I think that a game which I saw last week will have been to me, when all is over, more notable still. It was played on the Playstead, a playstead bedrabbled with pools of water from one to six inches deep. In addition, a chilly wind was abroad. The contending teams represented Punched and Methuen high school. It was a sad sight for fathers and mothers. I wonder at it, if no cases of pneumonia resulted. And yet—

BLACK FOX PELTS.

Only About Five Skins Are Secured Each Year.

In the estimation of trappers of the Canadian northland as well as in the eyes of the nobility of Russia there is only one king of beasts, the highly prized black fox. On an average five perfect pelts of this rare fur bearer are brought down from the northland each year and in rare years as many as ten or twelve, though each year thousands of men make a living trapping and the yearly catch of foxskins amounts to over 100,000 from Canada alone.

In no way except in color does the black fox differ from the red fox, whose pelt sells for about \$2, or from the gray fox, whose winter coat is valued at from \$150 to \$400, but when a hunter can secure a black fox and remove its skin without marring the fur he is sure of receiving from \$800 to \$1,500 for his trophy. Not only is every black fox pelt bought as soon as taken, but a dozen Russian noblemen have paid agents traveling in North America all through the winter seeking out remote hillside farms and abandoned logging camps where it is possible that a shy and elusive black fox may have been seen.

Within the last twenty years a number of wealthy men who have owned fenced game preserves have spent vast sums of money in buying foxes alive and turning them loose within private inclosures. By and by it may be that some skilled or fortunate breeder will produce a black pup or perhaps a pair of black foxes may be captured alive, and from these a new breed of black foxes will arise and cause a great panic among the men who hunt for black foxes. He who can wrest the secret of breeding black foxes from nature is assured of riches past counting and can command the worshipful homage of the Russian nobility and aristocracy, who seem willing to sacrifice untold wealth for the pleasure of wearing overcoats made from the pelts of American black foxes.—*Edmonton Cor. Toronto Globe*.

GROWTH OF CARICATURE.

John Law's Wild Schemes Gave It a Tremendous Impetus.

Caricature is nowadays one of the principal methods of criticism. No movement can overreach the mark without eliciting dozens of works of art from caricaturists all over this and all other countries.

This branch of criticism and attack dates far back, but the greatest impulse it ever felt came from the age of tremendous speculation, when, in 1719 and 1720, John Law was manipulating things financial in France. Never before had the financial world been so carried off its feet as it was at that time. Members of the nobility were waiting for a chance to purchase shares in Law's schemes. Duchesses and ladies of high renown tried their most persuasive charms on Law in the attempt to get hold of shares. Men hired out their backs for writing desks, so great was the press of business in making contracts, and one hunchback is reported to have made 100,000 francs in this way in a few weeks. The French went veritably mad over the schemes to become wealthy. Naturally the papers of the time, especially those of Holland, caricatured the state of affairs. There were pictures of all sorts caricaturing Law, the nobility, the schemes and everything connected with them.

It was this tremendous amount of pictorial work that first directed the energies of William Hogarth in London in this direction. Caricaturing began to be used more and more in the political field, and soon afterward it caused the shelving of Robert Walpole from the English ministry. Ever since then has caricaturing been one of the bitterest and most effectual methods of checking public men and their schemes.

Another Knock.

"Hotel clerks are cold hearted," sighed the shabby tragedian, who was traveling with a toothbrush and a compass.

"Speaking from experience, pal?" asked his barnstorming chum.

"Sure! I approached the clerk of the Red Dog Inn and told him actors deserved special terms."

"Ah, indeed! And what did he say?"

"He said yes, they deserved six month terms in the county workhouse."—*Chicago News*.

Tragic.

Scene—A railway carriage.

First Artist—Children don't seem to me to sell now as they used.

Second Artist (in a hoarse whisper)—Well, I was at Stodge's yesterday. He had just knocked off three little girls' heads, horrid raw things, when a dealer came in, six bought 'em directly, took 'em away wet as they were on the stretcher and wanted Wodge to let him have some more next week.

Old Lady (putting her head out of the window and shrieking)—Guard, stop the train and let me out or I'll be murdered!—*London Tit-Bits*.

His Daily Income.

"What is your husband's income?"

"Twice a day—6 p. m. and 2 a. m."—*Puck*.

Who was it said that the victorious soldiers of England were bred on the football grounds of Eton? The Duke of Wellington, I think. I am one who thinks that peace hath her victories no less renowned than those of war. I believe that it takes as much grit to fight bravely and hard in our own social, industrial life as on the field of Waterloo. And I think that I saw twenty-two plucky boys qualifying on the Playstead last week.

THE PROTECTION OF BIRDS.

A National Necessity

The welfare of the birds is a matter of great importance to you, reader, and to every man, woman and child alive to-day. Were the birds exterminated it would mean to us, not merely a trifling inconvenience or the loss of dollars and cents, but want and famine, pestilence and death.

You know that many birds are decreasing in numbers and that the recent remarkable increase of destructive insects and other pests is attracting wide attention; but do you know that it is estimated that the birds in Massachusetts eat twenty-one thousand bushels of insects a day, that the birds in Nebraska destroy one hundred and seventy carloads daily, that a single species of hawk saves the western farmers \$57,000, annually by killing grasshoppers, that the tree sparrows of Iowa eat two and one third tons of weed seeds daily, and that our native sparrows save the farmers of the country \$35,000,000 annually by eating weed seeds, while they also save an immense loss by destroying insects? A vast sum might be saved if we could increase the number of birds by even one per cent, and this is easily possible.

Pests such as insects, field mice and weeds, increase wherever birds are depleted; the cost of raising grains, other food stuffs, and domestic animals increases in consequence and this causes an advance in the prices of the necessities of life. Higher taxes are imposed to sustain state or municipal work for the control of insect pests, and the poor find it hard to exist.

Always and everywhere the forces of animal and vegetable life spring into pernicious activity and swarm with destructive effect wherever their natural checks are removed. The ever-present danger of the increase of insects is shown by the investigations of Mr. W. L. McAtee of the United States Biological Survey. He made a careful, systematic, minute examination of the surface of small areas of woodland and meadow soil.

If the number of animal objects found on these areas will hold good on larger tracts each acre of forest land contains 1,216,880 small forms of animal life, mostly insects or their eggs, and each acre of meadow land contains 13,654,710 such objects. Many of the insects eat others; but people who realize how fast insects increase when unchecked can readily imagine what would happen were such active, voracious eaters as the birds exterminated.

Some birds will eat their own weight of insects each day and the daily food of a full-fledged young robin equals sixteen feet of caterpillars or earthworms.

Nevertheless the destruction of birds by men continues. Many species of birds have been exterminated, and many others are nearing extermination. The foreign portion of our population rapidly increasing is a serious menace to bird life.

"No doubt" you will say, "we should protect the birds"; but what are you doing to conserve them? Are you making an effort or spending a cent?

The National Association of Audubon Societies for the Protection of Wild Birds and Animals, organized and endowed by practical business men and women, directed by altruistic, unpaid executive officers is engaged in securing bird protective legislation and law enforcement. It is protecting the sea birds and wild fowl on their breeding grounds on hundreds of islands along the coasts of the United States.

It is educating children and the people generally regarding the value of bird life. Every one should consider it a duty to join this Association or contribute in some way to its work, for it is the only national association in this country that is organized for the protection of all useful birds; and the urgent needs for its activities are far in excess of its resources. Mr. William Dutcher, the first President, 141 Broadway, New York City, will always be grateful for an encouraging word from any sympathizer in his work of self-sacrificing endeavor on behalf of the birds and his fellow men.

Electricity in the Cooking School

The young ladies of the Belton, Texas, high school in pursuit of culinary knowledge in the domestic science course do all their experimental cooking in electrically-heated utensils. Even as good cooking points the most direct way to a man's heart so electricity is the quickest and best heat medium for preparing foodstuffs. The kitchen of the Belton school is one of the best and most up-to-date in the country. It is equipped with a complete line of modern electric heating utensils including frying pans, vegetable cookers, chafing dishes, percolators, cereal cookers and electric ovens.

In equipping this domestic science kitchen the health and comfort of the students, as well as perfect convenience and cleanliness, were taken into consideration. It was desirable that the young ladies should work about the kitchen in good dresses and that there should not be any disagreeable and unhealthy gases and dust. In all these good qualities electricity stands alone, so the kitchen was wired for the electric devices and now there are no dirty coal fires, no dangerous and unhealthy gas pipes or no treacherous gasoline or alcohol stoves. The cooking is done right on the two long wooden tables. The switches to turn the current on or off are located on the table top and the flexible connections are adjusted from beneath the cover. The kitchen, even when eighteen girls are cooking, is always dainty, clean and free from disagreeable odors or flying ashes.

Ten Millions for a Tube

Think of conservative economical Boston putting \$10,000,000 into the ground! That is what has happened in the building of the Washington Street tunnel, which will be opened for transportation uses between now and the first of 1909.

But Boston will certainly have something to show for the money. The gleaming white tube, a little more than a mile long and costing nearly \$2000 a running foot, is destined to be one of the attractions of the city for a long time to come. The Boston Transit Commission, assuming that they were doing this work not for one generation but for several, have been lavish in creating a marvel of scientific engineering and architectural exquisiteness. The stations, it is safe to assert, are superior in appearance and appointments to those of any other underground rapid transit route in the world.

The community gets satisfaction, not only in the picturesqueness of the new tunnel but in the accessibility and what the nerve specialists call the vitality—the ease with which various choices of route can be made over the lines of a great interconnected system. One result will be the increase of the carrying capacity of the elevated lines, amounting to as much as 175 per cent.

Stations with entrances and exits handily located at important points in the theatre and shopping district, spacious platforms 350 feet long and capable of accommodating eight car trains, groups of telephone booths, handy parcel rooms, concrete settees, fireproofed materials in news-stands, ticket chopping machines and ticket sellers booths, the most adequate system of ventilation yet devised for a tunnel—these are some of the attractive features of a seventh wonder of the second centre of population in the United States—a marvel which no New Englander will want to miss seeing in the next few months.

The Laugh Cure

Laughter induces a mental exhilaration.

The habit of frequent and hearty laughter will not only save you many a doctor's bill, but will also save you years of your life.

There is good philosophy as well as good health in the maxim, "Laugh and grow fat."

Laughter is a foe to pain and disease, and a sure cure for the "blues," melancholy and worry.

Laughter is contagious. Be cheerful, and you make everybody around you happy, harmonious and healthful. Laughter and good cheer make love and life, and love of life is half of health.

Use laughter as a table sauce; it sets the organs to dancing, and thus stimulates the digestive processes.

Laughter keeps the heart and face young, and enhances physical beauty. Laughter is nature's device for exercising the internal organs and giving us pleasure at the same time.

It sends the blood bounding through the body, increases the respiration, and gives warmth and glow to the whole system.

It expands the chest, and forces the poisoned air from the least used lung cell.

Perfect health, which may be destroyed by a piece of bad news, by grief or anxiety, is often restored by a good, hearty laugh.

A jolly physician is often better than all his pills.

His Only Conundrum.

The old pilot of the little steamer, *Maid of the Mist*, which used to carry passengers quite up to the foot of the falls of Niagara until the mist from the falling waters drenched the clothing of every one on board, used to perpetuate one solitary conundrum each trip. It always commenced and ended the same.

Moving his hand along the sides of the pilothouse and examining the woodwork minutely, he would look up mysteriously and remark:

"I say, stranger, do you know what this boat is made of?"

"Made of? Why, pine and oak, isn't she?"

"No, sir."

"Hemlock?"

"No."

"Tan't cedar, is it?"

"Oh, no!"

And then the old pilot's eyes twinkled and his mouth whistled a crazy tune.

"Well, iron perhaps?"

"No."

"What in thunder is she made of, then?"

"She's *Maid of the Mist*, stranger; *Maid of the Mist*."

Then the pilot accepted his morning cigar.

Carrie's Maneuver.

Miss Hurrayup—Ah, George, you cannot tell what troubles a girl has who is receiving the attentions of a gentleman.

Mr. Holdoff—Troubles, Carrie? Of what nature, pray?

Miss H.—Well, one's little brothers are always making fun of one, and relatives are always saying, "When is it to come off?" as if marriage were a prizefight. But that is not the worst. There is the inquisitiveness of one's parents. They want to know everything. There's pa, now, he is constantly asking such questions as: "Carrie, what are Mr. Holdoff's intentions? What does he call upon you so regularly for and stay so late when he does call?" And he sometimes looks so angry when he asks these questions that I actually tremble.

Mr. H.—And what answer do you make to his questions, Carrie, dearest?

Miss H.—I can't make any answer at all, for, you see, you haven't said anything to me, and—of course, I—

Then Mr. Holdoff whispered something in Carrie's ear, and next time her father questions her she will be ready with a satisfactory reply.—*Boston Transcript*.

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Dempsey, I. L.	26	33
Hall, S.	18	18
Moon, Pro.	21	6
Turner, R.	589	72
Viger, D.	173	50
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Attorney General		
Dean, Pro.	16	6
Harding, S. L.	6	6
Malone, R.	589	73
McCarty, S.	18	1
Talbot, I. L.	29	5
Thayer, D.	194	57
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Congressman		
Ames, R.	640	84
Conley, I. L.	27	5
Flynn, D.	261	76
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Councillor		
Cole, R.	632	85
Grievess, S.	56	11
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Senator		
Stuntin, R.	576	73
Halley, D.	256	77
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Representative		
Burns, D.	452	94
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County Commissioner		
Kelly, S.	31	1
Kenyon, D.	194	60
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R. Republican.
D. Democrat.
S. Socialist.
Pro. Prohibition.
S. L. Socialist Labor.
I. L. Independence League.

Fifth District Congressional Vote

	Ames	Flynn
Andover	720	337
Billerica	391	133
Burlington	95	20
Carlisle	67	19
Chelmsford	473	173
Dracut	288	183
Dunstable	43	18
Lawrence	4024	4747
Lowell	7006	5466
Lynnfield	134	18
Methuen	965	287
North Andover	405	255
North Reading	136	122
Reading	902	152
Tewksbury	209	46
Tyngsboro	90	14
Wilmington	189	28

Total 16,357 11,907

NEWS OF THE TOWNS AROUND ANDOVER

BALLARDVALE.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev. Augustus H. Fuller, pastor. Services for Sunday, Nov. 8.

10.30 a.m. Worship with sermon by the pastor.
Sunday School to follow.
2.30 p.m. Meeting of Juniors.
6.15 p.m. Y. P. S. C. E.
7.30 p.m. Thursday evening prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. A. E. Worman, pastor. Services for Sunday, Nov. 8.

10.30 a.m. Worship with sermon by the Pastor.
Sunday School to follow.
6.00 p.m. Epworth League.
7.00 p.m. Praise service with address by Pastor.
7.30 p.m. Thursday evening prayer meeting.

Harold Monker, of Bristol, Conn., has been visiting friends in the Vale.

Mrs. Etta F. Higgins has been spending several days in the Village.

Mrs. B. A. Wilson, of Lowell, spent Sunday with her son, Joseph Wilson.

Albert S. Curtis has returned from a two weeks' business trip through Maine.

Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Converse Parker, is ill with diphtheria.

The Colonial Club will hold their dance in Bradlee hall this evening, November 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Greenwood were the guests Sunday of friends in Stoneham.

Edward Greenwood left town Saturday for New Jersey, where he will spend the winter.

Mrs. Laura T. Damon returned Thursday from a five weeks' visit with relatives in Lynn.

Bradlee school was closed today in order that the teachers could attend the Teachers' Convention.

William Shaw has left town on an extended tour through Indiana in the interests of Christian Endeavor.

The Misses Helen and Marjory Davies, of the Bridgewater Normal School, have been spending several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Davies.

Eight of our local young men attended a ball in Woburn last night, where they made the trip in a large auto touring car, and a jolly good time was reported.

Several Ballardvale people were on the train which collided with a locomotive at Lowell Junction last night. Joseph Wheatley sustained a scalp wound and Albert Clemons had his wrist sprained.

At the consecration meeting Sunday evening, at the Congregational church, Benjamin Herrick, who was a delegate from the local society to the recent C. E. convention at Lynn, gave a very interesting report of the several meetings he attended.

Mrs. George Byington and Miss Martha Byington attended, as delegates from the Congregational Ladies' Aid Society, the annual meeting of the Andover and Woburn Branch of the Woman's Board of Missions held at Reading, Thursday.

The first number in the Bradlee course was given Wednesday evening, consisting of a concert by the Mozart Ladies' Quartet, composed of Nellie A. Harmon, first soprano; Bertha Dudley, first alto and pianist; Georgia Belle Morrill, second soprano; Mabel E. Tenney, second alto. The singing of the quartet was good and was fully appreciated by the audience present.

Hallowe'en was observed in the Vale by socials under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. and the Epworth League. They were both well attended. Appropriate games, including the ghost walk, were enjoyed and entered into heartily by all present. The C. E. Juniors held their social Saturday afternoon, a novel and interesting feature of which was the march of the Juniors with their Jack-o'-Lanterns to the parsonage, where they gathered outside and sang and serenaded their pastor, Rev. Augustus H. Fuller.

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NORTH ANDOVER

Miss Kate T. Fuller has been visiting in Lynn.

Charles F. Johnson visited in Salem on Wednesday.

Essex County Pomona Grange met in Groveland Thursday.

J. H. D. Smith and family left town this week for their Boston home.

Israel Stevens of Salem has been visiting at Mrs. Susan Cogswell's residence.

The Ladies Sewing Circle of the Grange met Friday with Mrs. Frank Greenwood.

The sum of \$295.82 was cleared at the recent sale and supper of the Charitable Union.

The family of William G. Brooks left the "Phillips Mance" this week for their home in Boston.

Mrs. George Lawson of Somerville is visiting at the residence of George O. Adams at the Centre.

Mrs. G. C. Choate and Miss Margaret Choate, of Taunton, are visiting at the "Kittredge Mansion".

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Weaver of Boston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coe of Boston Hill Farm.

Miss Olive Berry and Miss Mary Berry of Wolfboro Falls have been visiting Mrs. John H. Rea at the Centre.

A number of the local Patrons of Husbandry attended the Essex Pomona Grange at Groveland, Thursday.

William G. Brooks fell at his home the other evening and fractured his collar bone. He was taken to Boston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Moody of "Home Nest," Marblehead are rejoicing on the arrival of a baby boy, born Monday.

The public schools are closed today to allow the teachers an opportunity to attend the convention being held in Peabody.

Miss Christensen received many useful gifts. Mrs. H. U. Munro, Miss Mary Frayne and Miss Isabel Reynolds directed the affairs.

Miss C. A. French, who passed the season at Cochichewick Farm has returned to her winter residence on Marlborough street, Boston.

Frank P. Chisholm, a graduate of Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute of Tuskegee, Ala., will speak in St. Pauls church on Sunday, November 8, at 11 o'clock a. m. The public is cordially invited.

An admirable organ recital was given Sunday evening at St. Pauls church by Herbert W. W. Downs, assisted by Harry Doe, violinist of Haverhill. There was a large and appreciative audience.

St. Pauls Parish house was the scene of a pretty Hallowe'en party and miscellaneous shower, given by the Girl's Friendly Society to one of its members, Miss Ida Christensen in honor of her coming marriage.

The hours were devoted to appropriate games and sociability followed by a dainty collation.

Mrs. J. W. Stark and son, Darwin, have been the guests of Mrs. Millard Wannamaker of Wamesit.

Miss Dolly McGovern, of the St. John's Hospital, Lowell, spent Wednesday with relatives in the Vale.

Joseph Hinchcliffe, of North Andover, spent Sunday with his brother, John Hinchcliffe, Tewksbury street.

Richard Sidley, of Lawrence, who was the leading batter of the local baseball team, is making records at college. He is president of the Dartmouth Democratic club and has taken an active part in the recent campaign, speaking at a number of political rallies.

At the meeting of Ballard Vale lodge, No. 105, held last Monday evening, the following named persons were elected officers for the ensuing quarter: C. T. Miss Etta Greenwood; V. T. Mrs. Mary A. Fessenden; Sect. Mrs. J. H. Smith; F. S. Thomas Brear; T. Daniel H. Poor; C. Miss Fannie S. White; A. S. Miss Emma Abercrombie; M. Mrs. Bertie Rathbun; P. C. T. Edward Hammond; organist, Miss Emma Abercrombie; asst. organist, Miss Clara Moody. Lodge Deputy Alfred Williams of Haverhill installed the newly elected officers.

The annual fair of the Congregational Ladies' Aid Society will be held in Bradlee hall next Wednesday evening, November 11. Fancy work, dolls, aprons and many other useful and beautiful articles will be on sale. There will be Thanksgiving and home-made candy tables, a peanut stand, and a hungry goose.

The entertainment will consist of the bright captivating play, "How the Story Grew," by home talent with the following strong cast of characters: Mrs. Greene, Miss Mary McIntyre; Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Alice G. Shaw; Mrs. Bean, Miss Lottie Metcalf; Mrs. Doolittle, Miss Florence Wood; Mrs. Taylor, Miss Lizzie Rowland; Mrs. Rice, Miss Isabel Miller; Mrs. White, Miss Etta Greenwood; Mrs. Snow, Miss Rosalie Wood. Music by the Colonial orchestra. Ice cream will be on sale. The public is very cordially invited to attend. Admission—adults, 15 cents; children, 10 cents.

Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Charitable Union took place Wednesday with Mrs. John H. Rea in the chair. The various reports were read and accepted. The following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. John H. Rea.
Vice-President—Miss Mary E. Nelson.
Secretary—Miss Lettie M. Barker.
Treasurer—Miss Olive A. Rea.
Collector—Miss Mabel Hannaford.
Committee on finished work—Miss Lavinia Gilman.
Benevolence committee—Mrs. Winfield Hughes, Mrs. George Sargent, Mrs. John Burnham, Mrs. Jacob Rea, Mrs. Charles Robinson.
Work Committee—Mrs. John Burnham, Mrs. H. Fred Murch, Mrs. Chas. Robinson, Mrs. George Sargent.
Mrs. John P. Clark, Mrs. Peter Holt, Mrs. Fred Hannaford had charge of the supper and social.

Grange Meeting

The Grange held its meeting on Tuesday evening in Unitarian hall and the topic for the evening was "How far does a person's dress go toward his success in life?" Papers were presented by Mrs. Walter Paul George A. Rea, Jr. and Emmanuel Downing. A shadow social was given under the direction of H. Dana Currier. Peter Holt, James C. Poor and Miss Angie Whittier were appointed a committee to draft and present resolutions on the death of Winfield S. Hughes, a past master of the Grange.

Call Extended to North Andover Minister

Rev. Samuel C. Beane, Jr., minister of the Old North church, has received a call to the South Memorial (Unitarian) church of Worcester. Rev. Mr. Beane came to North Andover four years ago and by his energetic and untiring efforts has given a new impetus to the church and all its societies. He is a man of scholarly attainment, a good speaker, and has a brilliant career before him.

Masonic Officers

At the annual communication of Cochichewick lodge, A. F. and A. M., held Wednesday evening, these officers were chosen:

Master—William McQuestion.
Senior Warden—Frank M. Blackstock.
Junior Warden—William Helliwell.
Treasurer—S. D. Jerry.
Secretary—Albert Brainerd.
Senior Deacon—William Rundlett.
Junior Deacon—Stephen DeM. Gage.

Mr. and Mrs. George Adams entertained about twenty of their friends at their residence at the Centre recently. In a whist contest first prizes were won by Mrs. George Lawson of Somerville and Isaac Osgood and consolation prizes by Miss Mary Whitaker and Miss Mabel Foster. Dainty refreshments were served.

Attended Conference

Warren K. Moorehead, curator of the Archaeological department at Phillips Academy attended the 26th annual conference of the "Friends of the Indian, Phillipino, Hawaiian and other Dependent Peoples." This was held at Lake Mohawk, New York, and some 400 persons assembled as guests of A. K. Smiley in his hotel. The conference this year was one of the most successful ever held, and those who took part represented all the insular possessions of the United States, as well as the Indian reservations, in our own land, and the "black belt" of the South.

The addresses and discussions following the same occupied four days, and dealt with practical problems. The congress of the United States was represented by six or seven members, and the heads of departments interested in the management of the insular possessions were on hand to defend their policies.

A platform, setting forth the views of the conference with reference to the treatment of America's dependent peoples was introduced at the close of the meeting.

Death of Academy Student

Edward P. Vile of Glen Falls, New York, a student of Phillips Academy, died at his home on October 23. Vile was a member of the senior class and entered the Academy only this year. After school had been open but two weeks he developed typhoid fever, contracted doubtless during the summer vacation, and was removed to the Lawrence Hospital where he remained but a few days and was then removed to his home. Though he was a member of the school but a short time, Vile had endeared himself to many of his fellow students and beautiful floral tributes were sent by the school to his late home.

Not at a Loss

Miss Asure Hose (from Boston)—Is your doctor's strong point diagnosis? Mrs. Jones (from Plainville)—No, I guess it 'tain't. Leastwise, he don't never prescribe it much.—Baltimore American.

Diplomacy

Maud—Do you mean to say that you actually proposed to him? Belle—Yes; but, my dear, he was so dreadfully rattled I made him believe he did it himself.—Boston Transcript.

METHUEN

Looking Up Case

The result of the autopsy over the body of Mrs. Margaret Smith, wife of John Smith, shows that the local police brought to light a case of murder. Night Patrolman Oliver discovered the Smith woman dying in the alley near the Methuen line when his attention was called to the fact that groans were heard by George Brady. Officer Oliver stepped over the Methuen line to investigate and found the woman. With assistance he took her to her room in the boarding house at 662 Broadway. The part of the building in which the woman died is in Methuen and the other part in Lawrence. Whether the alleged assault was committed in Methuen or just across the line in Lawrence is yet to be determined.

Officer Oliver recognized the woman for she had been before the local court and when he took her to the house he supposed she was only in a stupor from drink. The examination of Medical Examiner Dow yesterday afternoon, however, proved that she died from an assault. She was aged 52 and for some time had been employed as a weaver in the Arlington mills. She was well known in the Arlington District.

At the spacious cream parlors of George A. H. Coupe on Broadway a most delightful Hallowe'en party was conducted Saturday evening under the auspices of the Mas-A-Mare Club, composed of a number of young society ladies of the Arlington District. The parlors were luxuriously decorated with palms and bright colored crepe, while the usual arrangement of Jack-o'-Lanterns were used to a pretty effect.

A feature of the evening was a sumptuous spread in the form of a Hallowe'en supper, in which all the old time dainties were in evidence.

Numerous games were played and the entire evening was an enjoyable one.

Guests were present from Lawrence and Andover.

The members of the club comprise Misses Sadie Whittaker, Marion Redford, Francis Cleveland, Sabina Collins, Anna and Leontine Maney. Miss Mary Bailey impersonated the ghost.

James Seed, employed by the Lawrence Ice Company, and residing on French street, Methuen, reported to the Methuen police, that he was set upon by two thugs early Thursday morning at the corner of Broadway and Oakland avenue.

According to Seed's story, as told to Officers Beaumont and Webb of the Methuen police, he had been attending a social held by the firemen of the town and was returning to his home when he was held up by two strangers who demanded his money and proceeded to assault him. He resisted, he said, and the men ran down Oakland avenue. He informed the officers named, but a search failed to find any clue as to the wouldbe highwaymen.

A six-cent fare went into effect on the Southern N. H. system Sunday with the exception of the first fare out of Lawrence and the fare between Methuen and Lawrence, which is to remain at five cents as it has been in the past. This is for the reason that the company must keep its fare so in order to compete with the Boston & Northern. The fare to Salem, N. H., is now 11 cents instead of 10, as the second fare is six cents. On the town farm line a charge of eight cents is to be made. The first fare out of Lawrence will be five cents which will carry to the point where the car turns off from the Canobic lake line, and a three-cent fare will be charged above that point. It is said that school children from Salem who are attending the local High School, are traveling by way of steam cars, now, because no further school tickets are to be issued by the company for use from Salem.

Local farmers, with those of the surrounding towns, have raised the price of milk by retail to eight cents a quart, to take effect November 1.

Men are at work erecting poles for the new system of street lights. The work will be pushed as rapidly as possible so that the new system can be used during the winter.

Litigious South Africans

The Diamond Fields Advertiser, referring to the litigious nature of the natives of South Africa, gives the following as an instance: "A native had fought and lost an action in the magistrate's court in one of the small towns in Griqualand East, the articles in dispute being a slate and an alphabetical primer of the total value of sixpence. He, immediately after the judgment was given against him, started on a journey on foot to the chief town, about thirty miles distant, in order to instruct an attorney there to appeal from the judgment given. The attorney laughed at the man and told him he should desist, as he would only be wasting his money over a trivial matter, but he tendered the costs of the appeal to the attorney and insisted; otherwise he would consult another lawyer. After a long consultation and endeavor to advise his client to act as was thought best the attorney complied with the native's wishes. The native won his appeal."

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ROBERT FULTON AS A LAD.

Incidents illustrating the Young Man's Interest in Mechanics.

There are several anecdotes which relate to Robert Fulton's early interest in mechanics—the first steps of progress toward his later skill. In 1773, when he was eight years old, his mother, having previously taught him to read and write, sent him to a school kept by Mr. Caleb Johnson, a Quaker gentleman of pronounced Tory principles—so pronounced, in fact, that he narrowly escaped with his life during the Revolution. But Robert Fulton did not care for books, and he began at a very early age to search for problems never mastered and bound in print. This greatly distressed the Quaker teacher, who spared not the rod, and it is said that in administering such discipline on the hand of Robert Fulton he one day testily exclaimed, "There, that will make you do something!" to which Robert, with folded arms, replied, "Sir, I came to have something beaten into my brains and not into my knuckles." Without doubt he was a trial to his teacher.

He entered school one day very late, and when the master inquired the reason Robert, with frank interest, replied that he had been at Nicholas Miller's shop pounding out lead for a pencil. "It is the very best I ever had, sir," he affirmed as he displayed his product. The master, after an examination of the pencil, pronounced it excellent. When Robert's mother, who had been distressed by his lack of application to his studies, expressed to his teacher her pleasure at signs of improvement the latter confided to her that Robert had said to him, "My head is so full of original notions that there is no vacant chamber to stow away the contents of dusty books."

These incidents to the contrary, it is nevertheless true that Robert Fulton did absorb a good knowledge of the rudiments of education.—Century Magazine.

ABOVE THE LAW.

Courts Have No Jurisdiction Over Foreign Ambassadors.

The chief of an embassy is an august being and one who boasts some remarkable privileges. It may be mentioned to begin with that in the land in which he is officiating an ambassador ranks immediately after the princes of the blood royal.

The ground on which an embassy stands is in theory as well as in practice the territory of the nation to which its principal occupant belongs. Even if a criminal were harbored in an embassy the police could not enter the premises without permission.

An ambassador is above the law of the country to which he is accredited. The courts have no jurisdiction over him, and, strangely enough, his subordinates and even his domestic servants are also inviolate. The humblest employee in the embassy if he committed a punishable offense could not be arrested without the consent of his master, nor can an embassy official be imprisoned for debt.

Ambassadors are to be envied most of all perhaps for their freedom from the burden of taxation. They disburse not one penny in taxes, either directly or indirectly, and, as for the custom house, it is nonexistent so far as they are concerned. No duty whatever is charged in respect of wines, cigars, cigarettes, etc., that are consigned to them.

Again, their excellencies need not bother about taxes unless they please. That they do so is purely an act of grace on their part. They are not legally exempt from these tantalizing demands on the purse, but if they declined to meet them there would be no means of enforcing payment.—Cassell's Journal.



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Effect of an "H."

A cockney whose name was Ogton, which he, following the usage of his class, pronounced Hogtown, settled at the beginning of the last century in the city of New York, where he did business as a trader. His prefixing of the "h" was the occasion of a postoffice story which Dunlap, the author of the "History of the Arts of Design," tells.

Before the clerks of the postoffice knew Ogton he called day after day to inquire if there were "any letters for John Hogtown."

"None, sir," was the invariable answer.

"Very strange," said he, feeling uneasy about the goods he had ordered from England and the bills of exchange he had remitted.

One day after the usual question, "Any letters for John Hogtown?" his eye, following the clerk, noticed that he was looking among the letters beginning with H.

"Oho!" cried he. "What are you looking there for? I said John Hogtown."

"I know it, sir, and I am looking for John Hogtown, and there's nothing for you."

"Nay, nay!" shouted John. "Don't look among the hatches. Look among the boxes." And among the O's were found a pile of letters addressed to John Ogton, which had been accumulating for many a week.